

REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated October 23, 2006. Appreciation is expressed to the Examiner for the allowance of claims 6-20, 22, 23, 25, 28-37 and 42-46.

By the present Amendment, claim 21 has been amended to avoid dependency on multiply dependent claim 18. Accordingly, removal of the objection to claim 21 is respectfully requested. With regard to this, a new dependent claim 49 has been added which depends solely on claim 18.

Also by the present Amendment, claim 48 has been amended to make the change suggested in paragraph 3 of the Office Action. Therefore, removal of the objection to claim 48 is also respectfully requested.

Also by the present Amendment, claim 47 has been amended to clarify the spacing defined with regard to the centers of the first and second wirings. Therefore, reconsideration and removal of the 35 USC §112, second paragraph, rejection is also respectfully requested.

Finally, by the present Amendment, claims 40 and 41 have been canceled inasmuch as they are substantial duplicates of claims 42 and 43, as noted in paragraph 7 of the Office Action. Therefore, removal of the double patenting rejection is also respectfully requested.

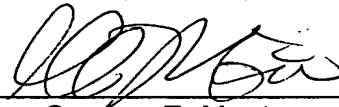
By virtue of the present Amendment, it is respectfully submitted that each of the objections and rejections raised in the Office Action have now been overcome, and allowance of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes that there are any other points which may be clarified or otherwise disposed of either by telephone discussion or by personal interview, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at the number indicated below.

To the extent necessary, applicant's petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (501.43011X00) and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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